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EXAMINER: UNASSIGNED ATTY DOCKET #: 500582.20016

APPLICANTS: David R. SMITH, et al. GROUP ART UNIT: UNASSIGNED

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PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Decision of August 2, 2001.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$110.00, the required statutory fee for a one-month extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1529.

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